

NOTE X.

A NEW LONGICORN BEETLE

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C. RITSEMA Cz.*Euclea nodicornis*, n. sp. ♂.

Length $17\frac{1}{2}$ mm. — Strongly resembling *E. nigritarsis* Pascoe¹⁾ of which I have a male specimen before me²⁾, but differing from it in the following characteristics: the new species is somewhat broader; its 3rd antennal joint is slightly longer, more slender, more distinctly incurvate and covered all over with a pubescence of a pale ochraceous colour³⁾; the 4th joint is more strongly swollen at the tip, and the 5th joint is thicker and consequently more strongly contrasting with the 6th; the prothorax becomes broader towards the base, and the scutellum is strongly transverse; finally the two basal joints of the tarsi do not show a black but an ochraceous pubescence. Each elytron is faintly notched at the end in an oblique direction which gives the apex of the elytra the appearance of being slightly prolonged at the suture.

Hab. Amboyna (Ludeking). — A single male specimen in the collection of the Leyden Museum.

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1) *Longicornia malayana*, p. 150.

2) It may be said here that the pubescence of this specimen, which measures 15 mm. in length, is very pale ochraceous approaching to grey, and that the derm of the antennae and legs has a dark blue metallic hue. It originates, like the type, from Amboyna (Ludeking).

3) In *nigritarsis* Pascoe the colour of the pubescence on the basal two thirds of this joint is grey, on the apical third it is black.